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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application please find the following listed items:

- Amendment Transmittal with Petition for One-Month Extension of Time; 1.
- Amendment in response to Office Action mailed on September 5, 2001; 2.
- Check in the amount of \$883.00 to cover additional claims fee and extension fee; and 3.
- 4. Return Postcard.

In connection with the foregoing matter, please charge any additional fees which may be due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-1798. A duplicate copy of this letter is provided for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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# AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL WITH PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

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**STATUS** 

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- 2. Applicant is
  - $\boxtimes$ a small entity. A verified statement:
    - is attached.
    - $\boxtimes$ was already filed.
  - other than small entity.

#### **EXTENSION OF TERM**

- The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 3. apply.
- ☑ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (a)

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|             | Extension    | Fee for other than | Fee for      |  |
|-------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|--|
|             | (months)     | small entity       | small entity |  |
| $\boxtimes$ | one month    | \$110.00           | \$55.00      |  |
|             | two months   | \$400.00           | \$200.00     |  |
|             | three months | \$920.00           | \$460.00     |  |
|             | four months  | \$1,440.00         | \$720.00     |  |

Fee \$ <u>55.00</u>

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

| □ An e         | xtension for     | months has already be    | en secured and the fee paid     |
|----------------|------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| therefor of \$ | is deducted from | the total fee due for th | e total months of extension now |
| requested.     |                  |                          |                                 |

Extension fee due with this request \$ 55.00

OR

(b) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

## FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

|                                   | CLAIM   | S AS AMI   | ENDED                                       |                            |        | i       |
|-----------------------------------|---|------------|---|----------------------------|--------|---------|
|                                   | (1)   |            | (2)   | (3)                        |        |         |
|                                   | CLAIMS REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT                        | **         | HIGHEST<br>NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>NUMBER<br>EXTRA | RATE   | FEE     |
| TOTAL CLAIMS                      | 128   | minus      | 50  | 78                         | x \$18 | \$1,404 |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS                | 8   | minus      | 5   | 3                          | x \$84 | \$252   |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM<br>ADDED | No  | 24         |   |                            | \$280  |         |
|                                   |   | 1. 2. 2. 6 |   | то                         | TAL    | \$1,656 |
|                                   | nas small entity status under<br>otal fee by 2 and enter amou |            | nd 1.27,                                    | SMALL EN<br>TOTAL          |        | \$828   |

|     |   | (s): Callon, <i>et al.</i><br>: 09/113,491   |  |  |  |
|-----|---|--|--|--|--|
| (c) | □ No additional fee for claims is required. |  |  |  |  |
|     |   | OR   |  |  |  |
| (d) | ⊠   | Total additional fee for claims required \$_828.00                                   |  |  |  |
| 5.  | Ø   | FEE PAYMENT  Attached is a check in the sum of \$883.00                              |  |  |  |
|     |   | Charge Deposit Account No the sum of \$ A duplicate of this transmittal is attached. |  |  |  |

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